

## Loss Of Life Much Smaller Than Was Feared--- Relief Measures Effective---Atkinson Will Act

### TIME TO SEND HELP

MOVEMENT IS STARTED TO JOIN IN THE GENERAL AMERICAN OFFER OF AID TO STRICKEN SAN FRANCISCO—ACTING GOVERNOR ATKINSON TAKES IT UP AND SAYS IT IS HAWAII'S DUTY TO RESPOND LIBERALLY.

Acting Governor Atkinson has taken hold of the relief fund business, at the request of the Chamber of Commerce, and will call a public meeting very soon probably on Monday, to discuss the matter. H. P. Woods, secretary of the Promotion Committee, has been made secretary of the governor for this purpose, and is assisting the executive in the work.

"The situation," said the acting governor, "is one that calls for quick action. There is no place, I believe, more ready, or rather anxious, than is Honolulu and in fact all Hawaii, to help those who are suffering in her nearest and most closely associated neighboring city. I do not believe that any city under the American flag has

felt the suspense that Honolulu has, or extends more heartfelt sympathy to those who have lost their all. "It is easy to read between the lines of the cables and see that at the other end they are 'keeping a stiff upper lip' under a faithful strain. Already, with true American pluck, they are talking of rebuilding, and not a complaint has come over the wire yet. I believe that the entire Union will rally to assist the stricken community. It seems to have been stricken as no American metropolis ever was before. We can afford to help, and we should all try to do the most we can. "The practical details of our work

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### Trying to Learn Fate Of Crockett Refinery

LOCAL SUGAR PEOPLE ARE ENTIRELY AT SEA REGARDING CONDITIONS AT CROCKETT AND ARE SPARING NO EXPENSE TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER ESTABLISHMENT IS DAMAGED OR NOT—MAY SEND SUGAR CARGOES TO OTHER COAST PORTS.

The keenest interest centers around the fate of the Crockett sugar refinery. Over \$2,000,000 are invested in the plant by the Sugar Factors Company, and until the conditions at the refinery become known, the local sugar firms connected with the Factors Company will be unable to transact any business with the coast. No vessels will be dispatched from any island port with sugar cargoes for San Francisco until definite news of the refinery at Crockett will have been ascertained. There are some smaller cargoes nearly loaded here, but they will be held. Orders have also been sent to the other islands not to dispatch any vessels for San Francisco until advised. The S. S.

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### MAUI WILL PROBABLY GIVE AID

SUPERVISOR W. H. CORNWELL HAS TAKEN STEPS TO GIVE AID TO SAN FRANCISCO SUFFERERS

W. H. Cornwell one of the Supervisors of the county of Maui who is in Honolulu has communicated with D. H. Cane county attorney of Maui and also with the chairman of the Maui board of supervisors, relative to that county rendering some financial assistance to the San Francisco sufferers. "Even if he can not officially appropriate any money to aid the San Francisco people," said Cornwell "I am sure that every member of our board would willingly donate a month's salary to those in distress."

### WILL BUILD AGAIN

To Cable Office, 11:58 a. m. SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—The town will start to build right away. All bricklayers, masons and carpenters are being forced into service. They are inspecting chimneys, houses, etc.

### THE REFINERIES

Sugar Factors Company, Honolulu. NEW YORK, April 21, 4:12 p. m.—We have no news direct. Believe all offices burned. Southern Pacific Company thinks Crockett safe. American Refining Company uninformed as to the Western Sugar Refining Company. Sugar 3.42 expect 3.36. WILLIAMS, DIMOND & CO.

### THE STORY BY CABLE

**FROM BREMEN.**  
BREMER, April 21.—3:02 p. m.—H. Hackfeld & Co. Information received to the effect that Hamburg, Mrs. Pfothner, Schultze and the Fockes are safe.  
**J. C. PFLUGER & CO.**  
LOS ANGELES SENDS \$100,000.  
To Cable Office, 11 a. m.  
SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—Los Angeles is o. k. Didn't feel shock to any extent. They sent \$100,000 relief to San Francisco.  
**FIRED OUT.**  
The first cablegram to come this morning from San Francisco was as follows:  
"It looks as if the fire is completely out; can see no smoke."  
**OPERATOR.**  
The message was dated at 5:45 a. m. San Francisco time.  
**OAKLAND ESCAPED.**  
To Cable Office, 9:36 a. m. SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—Oak-

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### Chamber of Commerce

The Chamber of Commerce held a meeting at 10 o'clock this morning, and passed resolutions to start a relief fund going for San Francisco. It was decided to ask the acting governor to open a subscription list, to enable the people all over the islands to give as they see fit, and the Chamber, as a body, began with a subscription of \$2,500 of its funds, which sum was formally voted.

It was decided also to reaffirm the selection of J. F. Morgan as envoy of the Association to the Chamber of Commerce and Merchants' Association of San Francisco, to convey the sympathy and assistance of the people of Hawaii to the stricken city. George W. Smith, president of the Merchants' Association, was present, and assured the Chamber that the Association would also appoint Morgan as its agent.

A resolution was unanimously adopted, that the secretary of the Chamber request Acting Governor Atkinson to open a general relief fund, in order that the subscriptions not only of Honolulu, but of all the islands, might be received, and handled in a general way for the benefit of those suffering from the disaster. The resolution included the Chamber's voting of \$2500 for such a fund.

H. P. Wood of the Promotion Committee suggested that Morgan would

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Union Hack Stand..... 10.00  
St. Louis College Alumni Ass'n ..... 12.00  
Joe Witmer..... 5.00  
Myrtle Boat Club, proceeds of entertainment .....

### PERSONAL MESSAGES

**THE PRESTONS.**  
OAKLAND, April 21, 12:04 p. m.—To A. M. Preston: All o. k. Address McNear Marin Co.  
**FRED PRESTON.**  
The Prestons lived at 736 Bush street San Francisco.  
**THE PARKHURSTS.**  
OAKLAND, April 21, 9 a. m.—Miss W. Parkhurst from Genevieve. All safe.  
The Parkhurst family lived at Sutter and Buchanan streets.  
**THE JORDANS SAFE.**  
R. A. Jordan of Jordan & Son cabled his father this morning that all is safe with them. The message was sent to friends in Vancouver where it was forwarded via Europe to Mr. Jordan here.  
**THEIR HOME SAVED.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—1:50 p. m.—To Mrs. C. C. McCarthy, Honolulu. Family well. Home saved.  
Mrs. McCarthy is a sister of Mrs. Carl Rhodes of W. G. Irwin & Co. Her family resides at 670 Noyes street, in the vicinity of Nineteenth and Mission.  
**FRED DICKEY SAFE.**  
Senator Dickey received a message from his son Fred this morning telling him that he was safe. The message came from Oakland via Europe.  
**SONNY CUNHA.**  
OAKLAND, April 21.—Alive.—Sonny Cunha.  
**ANOTHER REPORTED SAFE.**  
To T. F. Lansing, from Oakland, 9:27 a. m.—Oliver safe. Answer 711 Taylor street.  
**A. J. LYON HEARS.**  
A. J. Lyon received a cable via Europe this morning from Oakland from his children reading "All well." It was dated "9:59 p. m. Oakland." Mr. Lyon has a son with wife and child in Berkeley. Mr. Lyon believes that the mes-

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